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Application of:	Docket No.: 32850
NEEF et al.	Confirmation No.: 3997
Serial No.: 10/679,521	Group Art Unit No.: 1752
Filed: October 6, 2003	Customer No.: 23589
BOTTOM ANTI-REFLECTIVE COATINGS DERIVED FROM SMALL CORE MOLECULES WITH MULTIPLE EPOXY MOIETIES	Examiner: Ashton, Rosemary E.

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants, through their attorneys, hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for a 3-month extension of time in which to file a response to office action of September 17, 2004. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17, a check in the amount of $1020.00 is enclosed herewith for the 3-month fee.

In the event that the foregoing request or fee calculation is incorrect, this Petition should be construed as one for sufficient time to permit timely filing of the present reply. Any additional fee which is due in connection with this Petition should be applied against our Deposit Account No. 19-0522.

Respectfully submitted,

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